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TO AMEMBASSY BERN IMMEDIATE

INFO AMEMBASSY MADRID

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PORG, ETRO, WTO-1

SUBJECT: STATUS OF ROC ADHERENCE TO WTO STATUTES

MADRID FOR USDEL WTO

1. SECRETARY GENERAL OF WORLD TOURISM ORGANIZATION (WTO) HAS INFORMED MISSION GENEVA THAT SWISS GOVERNMENT (DE-POSITORY FOR WTO STATUTES) HAS INDICATED DOUBT AS TO ALIDITY OF REPUBLIC OF CHINA'S ADHERENCE TO WTO STATUTES, CITING ROMANIAN OPPOSITION TO INCLUDING IT AMOUNT 51 STATES WHICH BROUGHT STATUTES INTO FORCE. IF THIS POSITION ACCEPTED BY FIRST WTO ASSEMBLY, WHICH CONVENES IN MADRID MAY 12, EFFECT WOULD BE DETERMINATION THAT 51ST RATIFICATION WAS DEPOSITED IN SEPTEMBER, NOT JULY, 1974,  
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WITH CONSEQUENCE THAT FIRST TRANSITIONAL YEAR OF WTO

WOULD RUN THROUGH DECEMBER, RATHER THAN OCTOBER, 1975.  
THIS COULD HAVE SIGNIFICANT IMPLICATIONS FOR ORGANIZATIONAL  
ARRANGEMENTS WHICH MUST BE CONSIDERED AT MADRID ASSEMBLY.

2. REQUEST EMBASSY EXPLORE PROMPTLY WITH GOS AUTHORITIES  
CONSIDERATIONS GOS HAS WEIGHED, CONCLUSIONS GOS HAS  
ARRIVED AT AS WTO DEPOSITORY, AAND ACTIONS GOS PLANS TO  
TAKE IN THIS RESPECT AT WTO ASSEMBLY. MADRID AND GENEVA  
SHOULD BE MADE INFO ADDRESSES ON REPORT. KISSINGER

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